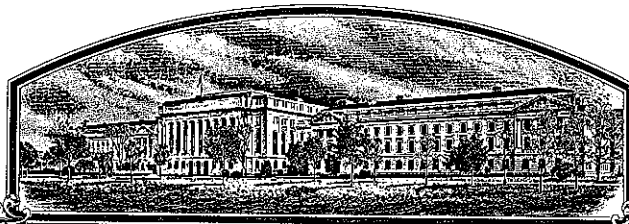


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# THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

**Terral-Norris Seed Co., Inc.**

Whereas, THERE HAS BEEN PRESENTED TO THE

**Secretary of Agriculture**

AN APPLICATION REQUESTING A CERTIFICATE OF PROTECTION FOR AN ALLEGED DISTINCT VARIETY OF SEXUALLY REPRODUCED, OR TUBER PROPAGATED, PLANT, THE NAME AND DESCRIPTION OF WHICH ARE CONTAINED IN THE APPLICATION AND EXHIBITS, A COPY OF WHICH IS HEREUNTO ANNEXED AND MADE A PART HEREOF, AND THE VARIOUS REQUIREMENTS OF LAW IN SUCH CASES MADE AND PROVIDED HAVE BEEN COMPLIED WITH, AND THE TITLE THERETO IS, FROM THE RECORDS OF THE PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION OFFICE, IN THE APPLICANT(S) INDICATED IN THE SAID COPY, AND WHEREAS, UPON DUE EXAMINATION MADE, THE SAID APPLICANT(S) IS (ARE) ADJUDGED TO BE ENTITLED TO A CERTIFICATE OF PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION UNDER THE LAW.

NOW, THEREFORE, THIS CERTIFICATE OF PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION IS TO GRANT UNTO THE SAID APPLICANT(S) AND THE SUCCESSORS, HEIRS OR ASSIGNS OF THE SAID APPLICANT(S) FOR THE TERM OF TWENTY YEARS FROM THE DATE OF THIS GRANT, SUBJECT TO THE PAYMENT OF THE REQUIRED FEES AND PERIODIC REPLENISHMENT OF VIABLE BASIC SEED OF THE VARIETY IN A PUBLIC REPOSITORY AS PROVIDED BY LAW, THE RIGHT TO EXCLUDE OTHERS FROM SELLING THE VARIETY, OR OFFERING IT FOR SALE, OR REPRODUCING IT, OR IMPORTING IT, OR EXPORTING IT, OR CONDITIONING IT FOR PROPAGATION, OR STOCKING IT FOR ANY OF THE ABOVE PURPOSES, OR USING IT IN PRODUCING A HYBRID OR DIFFERENT VARIETY THEREFROM, TO THE EXTENT PROVIDED BY THE PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION ACT. (84 STAT. 1542, AS AMENDED, 7 U.S.C. 2321 ET SEQ.)

**SOYBEAN**

**'Terra-Vig 6792'**

*In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Plant Variety Protection Office to be affixed at the City of Washington, D.C. this thirty-first day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ninety-five.*

Attest:

*[Signature]*  
Acting Commissioner  
Plant Variety Protection Office  
Agricultural Marketing Service

*[Signature]*  
Secretary of Agriculture

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE  
AGRICULTURAL MARKETING SERVICE

# APPLICATION FOR PLANT VARIETY PROTECTION CERTIFICATE (Instructions on reverse)

Application is required in order to determine if a plant variety protection certificate is to be issued (7 U.S.C. 2421). Information is held confidential until certificate is issued (7 U.S.C. 2426).

1. NAME OF APPLICANT(S) (as it is to appear on the Certificate)  Terral-Norris Seed Co., Inc.		2. TEMPORARY DESIGNATION OR EXPERIMENTAL NO.  Terra-Vig X7292		3. VARIETY NAME  Terra-Vig 6792	
4. ADDRESS (street and no. or R.F.D. no., city, state, and ZIP)  604 Ninth Street Lake Providence, LA 71254		5. PHONE (include area code)  (318) 559-2840		<div>FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY</div> <div>PVPO NUMBER 9300096</div> <div> <div>F I L I N G</div> <div>Date January 19, 1993 Time <input type="checkbox"/> A.M. <input type="checkbox"/> P.M.</div> </div>	
6. GENUS AND SPECIES NAME  Glycine max.		7. FAMILY NAME (Botanical)  Leguminosae			
8. CROP KIND NAME (Common Name)  Soybean		9. DATE OF DETERMINATION  1985			
10. IF THE APPLICANT NAMED IS NOT A "PERSON," GIVE FORM OF ORGANIZATION (Corporation, partnership, association, etc.)  Corporation					
11. IF INCORPORATED, GIVE STATE OF INCORPORATION  Louisiana		12. DATE OF INCORPORATION  1953		<div>F E E S</div> <div>Filing and Examination Fee. \$2150.00 Date Jan. 19, 1993</div> <div>R E C E I V E D</div> <div>Certificate Fee. \$300.00 Date July 31, 1993</div>	
13. NAME AND ADDRESS OF APPLICANT REPRESENTATIVE(S), IF ANY, TO SERVE IN THIS APPLICATION AND RECEIVE ALL PAPERS  Thomas F. Terral P. O. Box 826 Lake Providence, LA 71254  PHONE (include area code): (318) 559-2840					

14. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOX FOR EACH ATTACHMENT SUBMITTED (Follow INSTRUCTIONS on reverse)

- a ☒ Exhibit A, Origin and Breeding History of the Variety
- b ☒ Exhibit B, Novelty Statement.
- c ☒ Exhibit C, Objective Description of Variety
- d ☒ Exhibit D, Additional Description of Variety
- e ☒ Exhibit E, Statement of the Basis of Applicant's Ownership
- f ☒ Seed Sample (2,500 viable untreated seeds) Date Seed Sample mailed to Plant Variety Protection Office 1/13/93
- g ☒ Filing and Examination Fee (\$2,150) made payable to "Treasurer of the United States"

15. DOES THE APPLICANT(S) SPECIFY THAT SEED OF THIS VARIETY BE SOLD BY VARIETY NAME ONLY AS A CLASS OF CERTIFIED SEED? (See section 83(a) of the Plant Variety Protection Act)

☐ YES (If "YES," answer items 16 and 17 below) ☒ NO (If "NO," skip to item 18 below)

16. DOES THE APPLICANT(S) SPECIFY THAT THIS VARIETY BE LIMITED AS TO NUMBER OF GENERATIONS?

☐ YES ☐ NO

17. IF "YES" TO ITEM 16, WHICH CLASSES OF PRODUCTION BLYOND BUILDER SELD?

☐ FOUNDATION ☐ REGISTERED ☐ CERTIFIED

18. DID THE APPLICANT(S) PREVIOUSLY FILE FOR PROTECTION OF THE VARIETY IN THE U.S.?

☐ YES (If "YES," through ☐ Plant Variety Protection Act ☐ Patent Act. Give date \_\_\_\_\_)

☒ NO

19. HAS THE VARIETY BEEN RELEASED, USED, OFFERED FOR SALE, OR MARKETED IN THE U.S. OR OTHER COUNTRIES?

☐ YES (If "YES," give names of countries and dates)

☒ NO

20. The applicant(s) declare(s) that a viable sample of basic seeds of this variety will be furnished with the application and will be replenished upon request in accordance with such regulations as may be applicable.

The undersigned applicant(s) is (are) the owner(s) of this sexually reproduced novel plant variety, and believe(s) that the variety is distinct, uniform, and stable as required in section 41, and is entitled to protection under the provisions of section 42 of the Plant Variety Protection Act.

Applicant(s) is (are) informed that false representation herein can jeopardize protection and result in penalties.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT (Owner(s))  Thomas F. Terral	CAPACITY OR TITLE  Pres.	DATE  1-12-93
SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT (Owner(s))	CAPACITY OR TITLE	DATE

## EXHIBIT A

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Terral-Norris Seed Co., Inc.  
Application for Plant Variety Protection

Terra-Vig 6792

### ORIGIN AND BREEDING HISTORY:

1981 - Cross #147 made: Coker 686/D77-6103

1982 - F<sub>1</sub> #91 field grown at Hartsville, SC and advanced to F<sub>2</sub>.

1983 - F<sub>2</sub> field grown in bulk as rows #169-182. One pod per F<sub>2</sub> plant harvested and seed bulked.

1984 - F<sub>3</sub> bulk grown in field as SP rows #131-141. Single plants selected at harvest.

1985 - F<sub>4</sub> progeny rows grown in the field and row #3002 was determined to be stable and breeding true for important characteristics and was selected, harvested in bulk, and designated as H86-821.

1986 - First Year Strains (FYS)-7	Group VI	1 Location
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1987 - Second Year Trial (SYS)-3	Group VI	1 Location
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1988 - Advanced Strains-2	Group VI	4 Locations
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1989 - Trial #476	Group VI	6 Locations
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1990 - Trial #476	Group VI	5 Locations
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1991 - Transferred to Terral-Norris Seed Company and renamed as Terra-Vig X7292.

## NOVELTY STATEMENT:

To our knowledge, Terra-Vig 6792 most resembles Coker 686. Differences include, but are not necessarily restricted to, the following:

1. Terra-Vig 6792 is resistant to Soybean Cyst Nematode Race 14 where Coker 686 is susceptible.
2. Terra-Vig 6792 is resistant to stem canker where Coker 686 is susceptible.

OBJECTIVE DESCRIPTION OF VARIETY  
 SOYBEAN (*Glycine max* L.)

NAME OF APPLICANT(S) Terral Norris Seed Co., Inc.	TEMPORARY DESIGNATION TVX 7292	VARIETY NAME Terra-Vig 6792
ADDRESS (Street and No., or R.F.D. No., City, State, and Zip Code) 604 Ninth Street Lake Providence, LA 71254		FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY PVPO NUMBER 9300096

Choose the appropriate response which characterizes the variety in the features described below. When the number of significant digits in your answer is fewer than the number of boxes provided, place a zero in the first box when number is 9 or less (e.g.,   ). Starred characters ★ are considered fundamental to an adequate soybean variety description. Other characters should be described when information is available.

1. SEED SHAPE:



1 = Spherical (L/W, L/T, and T/W ratios = < 1.2)  
 3 = Elongate (L/T ratio > 1.2; T/W = < 1.2)

2 = Spherical Flattened (L/W ratio > 1.2; L/T ratio = < 1.2)  
 4 = Elongate Flattened (L/T ratio > 1.2; T/W > 1.2)

★ 2. SEED COAT COLOR: (Mature Seed)

1 = Yellow      2 = Green      3 = Brown      4 = Black      5 = Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

3. SEED COAT LUSTER: (Mature Hand Shelled Seed)

1 = Dull ('Corsoy 79'; 'Braxton')      2 = Shiny ('Nebsoy'; 'Gasoy 17')

★ 4. SEED SIZE: (Mature Seed)

Grams per 100 seeds

★ 5. HILUM COLOR: (Mature Seed)

1 = Buff      2 = Yellow      3 = Brown      4 = Gray      5 = Imperfect Black      6 = Black      7 = Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

★ 6. COTYLEDON COLOR: (Mature Seed)

1 = Yellow      2 = Green

★ 7. SEED PROTEIN PEROXIDASE ACTIVITY:

1 = Low      2 = High      3 = Mixed

★ 8. SEED PROTEIN ELECTROPHORETIC BAND:

1 = Type A (SP1<sup>a</sup>)      2 = Type B (SP1<sup>b</sup>)

★ 9. HYPOCOTYL COLOR:

1 = Green only ('Evans'; 'Davis')      2 = Green with bronze band below cotyledons ('Woodworth'; 'Tracy')  
 3 = Light Purple below cotyledons ('Beeson'; 'Pickett 71')  
 4 = Dark Purple extending to unifoliate leaves ('Hodgson'; 'Coker Hampton 266A')

★ 10. LEAFLET SHAPE:

1 = Lanceolate      2 = Oval      3 = Ovate      4 = Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

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## 11. LEAFLET SIZE:

☐ 21 = Small ('Amsoy 71'; 'A5312')  
3 = Large ('Crawford'; 'Tracy')

2 = Medium ('Corsoy 79'; 'Gasoy 17')

## 12. LEAF COLOR:

☐ 31 = Light Green ('Weber'; 'York')  
3 = Dark Green ('Gnome'; 'Tracy')

2 = Medium Green ('Corsoy 79'; 'Braxton')

## ★ 13. FLOWER COLOR:

☐ 2

1 = White

2 = Purple

3 = White with purple throat

## ★ 14. POD COLOR:

☐ 1

1 = Tan

2 = Brown

3 = Black

## ★ 15. PLANT PUBESCENCE COLOR:

☐ 2

1 = Gray

2 = Brown (Tawny)

## 16. PLANT TYPES:

☐ 21 = Slender ('Essex'; 'Amsoy 71')  
3 = Bushy ('Gnome'; 'Govan')

2 = Intermediate ('Amcor'; 'Braxton')

## ★ 17. PLANT HABIT:

☐ 11 = Determinate ('Gnome'; 'Braxton')  
3 = Indeterminate ('Nebsoy'; 'Improved Pelican')

2 = Semi-Determinate ('Will')

## ★ 18. MATURITY GROUP:

☐ 0 ☐ 91 = 000  
9 = VI2 = 00  
10 = VII3 = 0  
11 = VIII4 = 1  
12 = IX5 = II  
13 = X

6 = III

7 = IV

8 = V

## ★ 19. DISEASE REACTION: (Enter 0 = Not Tested; 1 = Susceptible; 2 = Resistant) 3 = Moderately Resistant

## BACTERIAL DISEASES:

★ ☐ 2Bacterial Pustule (*Xanthomonas phaseoli* var. *sojensis*)★ ☐ 0Bacterial Blight (*Pseudomonas glycinea*)★ ☐ 2Wildfire (*Pseudomonas tabaci*)

## FUNGAL DISEASES:

★ ☐ 0Brown Spot (*Septoria glycines*)Frogeye Leaf Spot (*Cercospora sojina*)★ ☐ 0

Race 1

☐ 0 Race 2☐ 0 Race 3☐ 0 Race 4☐ 0 Race 5☐ 1 Other (Specify)To Races common to the  
Mid-South area.★ ☐ 0Target Spot (*Corynespora cassiicola*)★ ☐ 0Downy Mildew (*Peronospora trifoliorum* var. *manshurica*)★ ☐ 0Powdery Mildew (*Microsphaera diffusa*)★ ☐ 0Brown Stem Rot (*Cephalosporium gregatum*)★ ☐ 2Stem Canker (*Diaporthe phaseolorum* var. *caulivora*)

19. DISEASE REACTION: (Enter 0 = Not Tested; 1 = Susceptible; 2 = Resistant) (Continued) 3=Moderately Resistant; 4=Tolerant

FUNGAL DISEASES: (Continued)

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- ★ ☐ 0 Pod and Stem Blight (*Diaporthe phaseolorum* var. *sojae*)
- ☐ 0 Purple Seed Stain (*Cercospora kikuchii*)
- ☐ 0 Rhizoctonia Root Rot (*Rhizoctonia solani*)
- Phytophthora Rot (*Phytophthora megasperma* var. *sojae*)
- ★ ☐ 2 Race 1 ☐ 0 Race 2 ☐ 0 Race 3 ☐ 0 Race 4 ☐ 0 Race 5 ☐ 0 Race 6 ☐ 0 Race 7
- ☐ 0 Race 8 ☐ 0 Race 9 ☐ Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

VIRAL DISEASES:

- ☐ 0 Bud Blight (Tobacco Ringspot Virus)
- ☐ 0 Yellow Mosaic (Bean Yellow Mosaic Virus)
- ★ ☐ 0 Cowpea Mosaic (Cowpea Chlorotic Virus)
- ☐ 0 Pod Mottle (Bean Pod Mottle Virus)
- ★ ☐ 0 Seed Mottle (Soybean Mosaic Virus)

NEMATODE DISEASES:

- Soybean Cyst Nematode (*Heterodera glycines*)
- ★ ☐ 0 Race 1 ☐ 0 Race 2 ☐ 2 Race 3 ☐ 0 Race 4 ☐ 2 Other (Specify) Race 14
- ☐ 4 Lance Nematode (*Hoplolaimus Colombus*)
- ★ ☐ 3 Southern Root Knot Nematode (*Meloidogyne incognita*)
- ★ ☐ 0 Northern Root Knot Nematode (*Meloidogyne Hapla*)
- ☐ 0 Peanut Root Knot Nematode (*Meloidogyne arenaria*)
- ☐ 0 Reniform Nematode (*Rotylenchulus reniformis*)
- ☐ 0 OTHER DISEASE NOT ON FORM (Specify): \_\_\_\_\_

20. PHYSIOLOGICAL RESPONSES: (Enter 0 = Not Tested; 1 = Susceptible; 2 = Resistant)

- ★ ☐ 0 Iron Chlorosis on Calcareous Soil
- ☐ 0 Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

21. INSECT REACTION: (Enter 0 = Not Tested; 1 = Susceptible; 2 = Resistant)

- ☐ 0 Mexican Bean Beetle (*Epilachna varivestis*)
- ☐ 0 Potato Leaf Hopper (*Empoasca fabae*)
- ☐ Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

22. INDICATE WHICH VARIETY MOST CLOSELY RESEMBLES THAT SUBMITTED.

CHARACTER	NAME OF VARIETY	CHARACTER	NAME OF VARIETY
Plant Shape	Coker 686	Seed Coat Luster	Coker 686
Leaf Shape	Coker 686	Seed Size	Coker 686
Leaf Color	Coker 686	Seed Shape	Coker 686
Leaf Size	Coker 686	Seedling Pigmentation	Coker 686

## 23. GIVE DATA FOR SUBMITTED AND SIMILAR STANDARD VARIETY: Paired Comparison Data

VARIETY	NO. OF DAYS MATURITY	PLANT LODGING SCORE	CM PLANT HEIGHT	LEAFLET SIZE		SEED CONTENT		SEED SIZE G/100 SEEDS	NO. SEEDS/ POD
				CM Width	CM Length	% Protein	% Oil		
Submitted				-	-	-	-		-
Name of Similar Variety				-	-	-	-		-

## PUBLICATIONS USEFUL AS REFERENCE AIDS FOR COMPLETING THIS FORM:

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3. Hymowitz, T. 1973. Electrophoretic analysis of SBT1-A<sub>2</sub> in the USDA soybean germplasm collection. Crop Sci., 13: 420-421.
4. Payne, R.C. and L.F. Morris. 1976. Differentiation of soybean cultivars by seedling pigmentation patterns. J. Seed Technol. 1: 1-19.



## EXHIBIT D

## ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTION OF VARIETY:

Terra-Vig 6792 is an F<sub>4</sub> selection from the cross Coker 686 X D77-6103. It is classified as late Group VI maturity. It has purple flower, tawny pubescence and tan pods. Seeds are shiny yellow with black hila. Plants are relatively tall and show good adaptability to the silt loam soils of Louisiana.

Terra-Vig 6792 is resistant to Soybean Cyst Nematode Races 3 and 14 and to Phytophthora Root Rot (RPS <sup>1</sup>C) and stem canker. It is moderately resistant to Southern Root Knot Nematode (*M. incognita*). It is susceptible to frogeye leaf spot.

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## EXHIBIT E

## STATEMENT OF APPLICANT'S OWNERSHIP:

Terral-Norris Seed Company, Inc. is the owner of Terra-Vig 6792 through purchase of the variety.



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June 26, 1995

Mr. Tom F. Terral  
Terral-Norris Seed Co., Inc.  
P.O. Box 826  
Lake Providence, LA 71254

Dear Tom:

Subject: Basis of ownership of the following soybean varieties:  
Terra-Vig 6792 (X9171) soybean, Terra-Vig 6253 (X9163) soybean,  
Terral TV X 6565 (X9263) soybean, Terral TV X 4990 (X9352)  
Soybean.

The original breeder on the above varieties is Dr. Howard Gabe of  
our Bay, Arkansas Research Station.

Northrup King affirms that all of the varieties are proprietary  
and were the exclusive property of Northrup King and Northrup  
King would have been eligible to apply for PVP for the above  
varieties had it desired to do so.

Northrup King has assigned to Terral-Norris free from all  
encumbrances, all rights of Northrup King to varieties including  
all rights of Northrup King under any Plant Variety Protection  
Certificate as is or may be applied for and/or obtained in the  
United States of America on such varieties.

Sincerely,

Marion Hawkins

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Alan A. Atchley